1. Eugenics in Virginia/Virginia’s sterilization policy

2. Ice Pick Lobotomies

3. Wounded Knee

4. Riots at Attica

5. Tuskegee experiment

6. PG&E and Hinkley, California

7. Love Canal

First, your group (that is, the people sharing the same topic) will give a presentation on your topic to include but not limited to an overview of event(s), timeline of events, major players, outcomes, opinions, legal issues, etc. Can use a prezi, animoto, photostory, video clips, etc. Every member of group must present something.

INDIVIDUALLY you will write an essay. Paper should explain the events – give rational (if applicable) for both sides – talk about what and who failed – talk about what laws were broken and why or how the laws were bypassed or ignored – talk about how justice was or was not served and what should or could have been done (legally, ethically, morally) and any criticism or opinions of your own. There is a lot of information and opinion on these topics out there – DO NOT PLAIGIRIZE! IT IS NOT WORTH IT AND YOU WILL PROBABLY GET CAUGHT. MLA format – especially for parenthetical references and work cited page!!!! My weebly has a great link for a site to help you with all you will need to know about MLA. 5 full pages, minimum. Must have at least 3 direct quotes in paper (But do NOT overuse quotes!) Must have at least 6 sources total – make sure you know which go on a bibliography page and which go on a work cited page. DO NOT JUST SUMMARIZE THE EVENTS IN THIS ESSAY – IF YOU DO, YOU WILL NOT ENJOY THE GRADE YOU RECEIVE. ☺